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FELLOWS & ROSCOE,
WHARF STREET,
HAVE FOR SALE
THE FOLLOWING GOODS,
TO ARRIVE PER
"Dusty Miller,"
"Phillipine,"
"Excelsior,"
and "LOCKET,"

IRON METALS, HARDWARE, &c.

Bar Iron—Assorted expressly for this market; Sheet Iron—Nos. 24 to 27; Zinc Sheathing; Copper do; Lead Pipe; Shot; Tin Plates, and Block Tin; Wire; Fry Pans; Camp Ovens and Covers; Wrought Iron Chests; Twine; Door Mats; Walking Sticks; Mill Saw Files; Lead Irons; Saws, a.c., &c.

CAST STEEL—Octagon and square.
SPRING STEEL.
TOE STEEL.

TINWARE.

Camp Kettles; Plets; Baths; Cash Boxes; Trays, &c., &c.

HATS AND CAPS.

DRY GOODS.

Woollen Cloths; Fancy Flannel Shirts; Serge Shirts; Clothing—Coats, Pants, and Vests; Mens' and Womens' Underclothing; Hose; Overcoats, Capes, &c.; Neck Ties, Scarfs, &c; Handkerchiefs; Gloves; Shawls; Collars and Sleeves; Tapes, Pins, Belts, and Collars; Fancy Dry Goods, and Haberdashery; Head Dresses, Laces, &c.; Chenille and Hair Nets; Umbrellas.

LACE CURTAINS—And a General Assortment of Dry Goods suitable for this market;
INDIA RUBBER COATS, BOOTS, LEGGING, &c.;
PIANOFORTES;
LOOKING GLASSES—72 by 48, and a General Assortment of smaller sizes;
SADDLERY;
TOBACCO PIPES;
EARTHENWARE—White Granite, and other descriptions;
SODA ASH, CAUSTIC SODA, PALM OIL, and ROSIN;
OILMENS' STORES—Including Lea & Perrins' Worcestershire Sauce;
STEEL PENS—Joseph Gallott & Son's.
au17 1m

MRS. JEFFRAY,
Government Street,
HAS RECEIVED, EX RECENT ARrivals, large and well selected invoices, to which she would call particular attention. The goods consist in part as follows:
NORWICH REPES—Corded and plain;
FASHIONABLE CHECKS and WINSEYS;
COBURGS and ALPACAS—Black and colored;
FOULARDS, assorted, and MOHAIRS;
ENGLISH and FRENCH PRINTED CALICOS;
LADIES' SHAWLS, CLOAKS, and JACKETS;
" BLACK SILK QUILTED SKIRTS;
" WOOLLEN SKIRTS—Great Variety;
" HOOP SKIRTS—Good Assortment;
LADIES', GIRLS', and CHILDRENS' HOSE and SOCKS;
LADIES', GIRLS', and CHILDRENS' SILK and LISLE THREAD GLOVES;
LADIES', GIRLS', and CHILDRENS' UNDERCLOTHING;
CHILDRENS' CLOAKS, PELISES, and SUITS,
PARASOLS, and SUN SHADES;
WORKED MUSLIN COLLARS and SETS;
LACE VEILS and FALLS, CHENILLE HAIR NETS, and HAIR PLAITS;
TABLE CLOTHS, NAPKINS, and TOWELS;
CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS, COTION and LINEN SHEETINGS;
SHIRTING and GREY CALICOS;
MUSLIN and LACE CURTAINS;
CARPETS and HEARTH RUGS—Good Assortment.
WHITE PINK and BLUE COUNTERPANES;
VELVET RIBBONS—All widths;
CHILDRENS' CASIMERE HOODS;
☞ The whole of the above Goods will be sold Wholesale and Retail at extremely low rates.
au10 1m

VICTORIA
—AND—
SPRINGFIELD
NURSERIES,
Seed, Fruit, & Floral
ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 5 FORT STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.
JAY & CO.
BEG TO INFORM THE INHABItants of Vancouver Island and British Columbia that they have opened the above premises for the sale of every description of
Agricultural, Vegetable & Flower Seeds
Also, the choicest Fruits, Flowers, and Vegetables, in Season.
Orders for all kinds of Fruit, and Ornamental Trees and Bushes, will be executed from their stock with care and despatch.
Gardens & Orchards Laid Out,
Planted and kept in order, by contract or otherwise.
JAY & Co. invite especial attention to their Stock of
VEGETABLE and FLOWER SEEDS!
Which has been grown and harvested on this Island, under the superintendence of one of the firm, who for many years carried on an extensive Nursery and Seed business in England.
CATALOGUES, with a Treatise on the Cultivation of the above Seeds, will shortly be published, and may then be had on application to J. & Co.
COUNTRY PRODUCE of the finest description sold on commission. au24 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

New Dry Goods
ESTABLISHMENT,
On Store Street.
MR. F. MITCHELL
HAS OPENED OUT ON STORE STREET and offers to the Public the following large assortment of Dry Goods, consisting of
LADIES' DRESS GOODS;
BOYS' READY MADE CLOTHING,
JAPANESE AND CHINESE GOODS—Consisting of SILKS, CABINETS, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, etc,
BLANKETS—All Sizes, at reasonable prices;
BROAD CLOTHS;
SILK and LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS;
LINEN THREAD and TABLECLOTHS;
BOOTS and SHOES, HATS, and CAPS;
LARGE STOCKS OF HOSIERY—And many other Articles too numerous to mention.
au3 1m

S. MOLITOR & CO.,
ASSAYERS,
Yates Street, Next Door to Wells, Fargo & Co.
VICTORIA, V. I.,
And No. 418 Montgomery Street,
Between Sacramento and California streets, San Francisco, California.
Gold Melted and Assayed.
RETURNS GIVEN IN FROM THREE to six hours. The correctness of our Assays is fully guaranteed
Melting done in the presence of depositors.
Grains and Clippings brought in account.
Particular attention paid to Assays of Ores.
Lessons given in Assaying Gold, and Gold Bearing Minerals.
Agency for L. OERTLING'S Assaying and Bullion Balances.
☞ Refer to Bankers in this city and San Francisco. au22 2m

A. F MAIN,
Land Agent,
STOCK AND SHARE BROKER,
—AND—
ACCOUNTANT.
OFFICE ON GOVERNMENT STREET, Opposite Broughton street.
August 17th, 1863. au18 tf

FOR SALE.
By the Undersigned,
A SMALL LOT OF
R. LOPEZ & CO.'S
WELL KNOWN BRAND OF
Fine Bottled Sherry and Port,
A. F. MAIN, Broker,
Government street,
Opposite Broughton Street. au18 1m

North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
ESTABLISHED 1809.
Incorporated by Royal Charter and Empowered by Special Acts of Parliament.
Subscribed Capital, £2,000,000 Sterling.
Accumulated and Invested Funds, £1,374,000 Sterling.
LONDON OFFICES:—No. 38 Threadneedle street and No 4 New Bank Buildings, Lothbury, E. C.
☞ This Company will ever distinguish itself in its promptitude and liberality in the settlement of claims
Insurance against Fire effected upon—Buildings and their Contents, Timber and Coal, Ships in harbor, with or without cargoes on board, Ships under repair, or in course of construction.
Agents for Fire, Vancouver's Island (Victoria.)
SIEFKEN BROTHERS & CO.,
Corner of Wharf and Johnson sst
ap21

Cosmopolitan Livery and Sale Stable
PLASKITT & GLIDE,
SUCCESSORS TO JOHN PARKER.
THE UNDERSIGNED, IN UNDER taking the management of the above Stables (on and after the 1st November,) are determined to leave nothing unattempted on their part to make it the MOST THOROUGH ESTABLISHMENT in the city.
The old patrons of Mr. Parker, and all who want A GOOD OUTFIT, DAY OR NIGHT,
In riding or driving, will find Harry and Bill on hand to accommodate them.
We have also Drays and Wagons, and will attend promptly to all orders left at the Stable, or at Mr Backus' Auction House.
Horses left on Livery or for Sale will have the best treatment.
an28 1m PLASKITT & GLIDE

PASSAGE TO ENGLAND.
THE SHIP "RISING SUN," Captain Thos. Mckinnion, 824 tons register, A. 1., coppered and copper fastened, will sail for England from Alberni, on or about the first of September next offering an eligible opportunity to passengers for the United Kingdom.
☞ For rate of passage and further particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or the Agents,
MESSRS. JANION, GREEN & RHODES,
jy11 Store street.

Ex STRATHALLAN,
Powder.
AN INVOICE OF SPORTING AND Blasting, from the celebrated manufactory of John Hall & Sons.
For sale by DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.,
au20 1m Wharf street.

Queen Insurance Company,
Capital, £1,000,000, Sterling.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN appointed Agents for the above Company, and are now prepared to issue Policies
au20 1m DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.

Vaughan & Robertson,
Photographic Artists,
VICTORIA THEATRE, V. I.
au5 tf

H. O. TIEDEMAN,
Civil Engineer and Architect.
HAVING LEFT THE LAND OFFICE, is now prepared to make
SURVEYS IN TOWN AND COUNTRY.
Also Plans of Buildings, etc., etc., on the shortest notice
Office next door to Nagle's Shipping Office, near Police Office au21

VICTORIA
BOOK-BINDERY!
Government st., in rear of Mr. Davie, Surgeon.
THE SUBSCRIBERS BEG to inform the inhabitants of Vancouver Island and British Columbia that they have opened a Book-binding Establishment, and are now prepared to execute all kinds of work in the above line. All orders executed with neatness and dispatch, on the most reasonable term
au28 OTTO & McKENZIE

FOR SALE.
25 KEGS BLASTING POWDER FOR sale by
an22 EDGAR MARVIN

MISCELLANEOUS.

TO BE RAFFLED!
AT THE FASHION HOTEL,
Saturday, Sept. 5th,
AT 8 P. M.,
A Splendid
SILVER-PLATED
CUT CRYSTAL, 12 LIGHT
Chandelier;
THE MOST MAGNIFICENT ARTICLE of the kind ever imported to the Pacific Coast.
80 Chances, at $5 Each!
Visitors are respectfully invited to call at the Fashion Hotel Parlors, where the Chandelier will be on view until the evening of the Raffle.
au6 1m

NEW
VARIETY STORE.
On Yates Street, Near Douglas,
South side, next door to the Engine House.
AT THIS STORE WILL BE FOUND a full assortment of goods selected expressly
FOR FAMILY USE,
CONSISTING OF
SPLENDID
PLATED WARE,
FINE
CHINA TEA SETS,
Fifty-three Pieces,
CROCKERY WARE,
GLASSWARE,
AXES,
HATCHETS,
PICKS,
BROOMS,
BUCKETS.
TUBS,
LOOKING GLASSES,
IVORY-HANDLED CARVERS,
NAILS,
SHOVELS,
SPADES,
TINWARE,
FURNITURE,
New and Second-Hand.
And many other things too numerous to mention.
☞ Please call, and give the NEW VARIETY STORE a trial, au28

Notice to all Exporters of Goods and Merchandise.
BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNMENT of his Majesty, the King of the Hawaiian Islands, the undersigned hereby notifies all Exporters of Goods and Merchandise to that Kingdom, that the import duty thereon will be calculated and levied on their Invoice value, as MANIFESTED to the Custom House at the Port of shipment, less the rebate amount of the increase in the Invoice value of said Goods and Merchandise arising from the depreciation of the currency at the date of said Invoice, but that no reduction of duties whatever will be allowed, unless the Invoices, as presented for clearance at the Custom House, be accompanied with a Certificate under the Seal and Signature of the undersigned, stating the per-centage of the increase in the value of said Invoices at the time of their date arising from the depreciation of the currency, as aforesaid.
The undersigned, on proof that the Invoices are calculated in depreciated currency, and of the percentage of that increase arising from that depreciation, is authorized to issue Certificates of the same, on presentation of the Invoices, to all applicants, they paying the usual fee of five dollars for each Certificate.
HENRY RHODES,
Consul.
His Hawaiian Majesty's Consulate,
Victoria, V. I., July, 1863. au25 tf daw

Ex "Strathallan,"
FROM LONDON.
BRANDY—Hennessy's and Martell's,
OLD TOM—Swaine, Boord & Co.'s and Worthington's,
SHERRY—Various grades,
CLARET— do. do.,
ALE and PORTER—Various Brands,
ALE—In Bulk and Case.
For sale by DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co
au20 1m Wharf street

Copper Mining Shares
For Sale,
IN SEVERAL COMPANIES.
Apply to T. ALLSOP,
Mining Agent,
Government street, opposite the St. James.
au18 tf

Oregon Produce!
FLOUR—Magnolia, Extra;
BACON—In Gunny Bags;
BUTTER—Fresh Roll, in Kegs;
FOR SALE BY
an20 tf LOWE BROTHERS.

CAUTION.
A ROBBERY OF NOTES OF the Bank of British North America has been committed on my premises, the numbers of which are known to me and for the recovery whereof a Reward has been offered, I therefore warn all persons from taking any such Notes, as I shall take legal proceedings for the protection of my rights.
au23 L. D. LOWENBERG.

Ex "Strathallan,"
SADDLERY, WHIPS, &c.,
ELECTRO-PLATE,
HARDWARE,
Well Selected Invoices,
For sale by DICKSON, CAMPBELL & Co.,
an20 1m Wharf street.

DR. T. WALKER,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
—ALSO—
Surgical and Mechanical
DENTIST.
Cleaning, Filling and Extracting with Care.
N. B.—Particular attention paid to Children's Teeth
FORT STREET, between Government and Broad streets.
au7 tf Opposite Gentile & Co', Music Store

EDUCATIONAL.

St. Ann's School
FOR
YOUNG LADIES!
VIEW STREET, VICTORIA,
THIS INSTITUTION IS CONDUCTED by the Sisters of St. Ann. The discipline of the School is mild but firm and regular; strict attention to its regulations required at all times. The emulation of the pupils will be excited by every gentle means and their success rewarded by an annual distribution of premiums, previous to the Vacation, which will commence July 15th. The Scholastic year will open on the first of September.
Difference of religion is no obstacle to admission into the institution but whilst pupils are left without any interference to follow their own profession, good order requires that they should conform to the general regulations of the establishment.
Parents may rest assured that every necessary attention will be paid to the comfort of pupils, whilst the utmost care will be taken to nourish in their minds those principles of virtue and morality which alone can make education profitable.
UNIFORM.
The uniform consists of a white muslin dress, and one of light blue merino for summer, and a dark blue dress for winter, with capes of the same material; a straw bonnet trimmed with light blue, and one trimmed with dark blue. The uniform is obligatory only on Sundays and festivals. Each pupil must be provided with six changes of underclothing.
THE SYSTEM OF EDUCATION
Comprises Orthography, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography, and the use of the Globes, History, Botany, Natural Philosophy, Composition, French Music, Drawing, Painting, Plain and Fancy Needlework, in all its variety.

TERMS:

Board and Tuition per Quarter	$60 00
Washing " "	9 00
Music " "	18 00
Drawing " "	6 00
Painting " "	9 00
Day Scholars, First Class " "	14 00
" " 2d Class " "	9 00

OBSERVATIONS.
1. No pupils will be received without paying quarterly in advance, and should a pupil be withdrawn before the expiration of the quarter, no reduction will be made for the remaining time, or for a partial absence from school.
2. The pupils receive no visits, except on Saturdays.
3. Every year there is Vacation of six weeks; the pupils who desire to do so can pass this time at the Convent. au26 tf

SCHOOL FOR BOYS.
Under the Patronage of the RIGHT REV. DR. DEMERS, and the Direction of the Fathers Oblates of Mary Immaculate.
THREE MEMBERS OF THE ORDER of the OBLATES having arrived from England and Ireland to take charge of this School they will find in it all the advantages of a full course of education.
The course of training will comprise the Greek, Latin, French, and English Languages, Natural Philosophy, Rhetoric Logic, Euclid, Mathematics, History (Ancient and Modern), Geography, Bookkeeping, Arithmetic, Writing, Music, etc
For further particulars apply to the Rev. T. Motonchim, O. M. I., at the residence of the Roman Catholic Bishop, Victoria au20 2m

Collegiate School for Boys,
VICTORIA, V. I.
VISITOR—The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop.
PRINCIPAL—The Rev Charles T. Woods, M. A., late C. B. and Oxon
VICE PRINCIPAL—The Rev. William Sheldon Reece M. A., late Scholar of Emmanuel College, Cambridge
ASSISTANT MASTER—Robert Williams, M. A., Cantab. (Wrangler and Member of the Senate of the University of Cambridge.)
DRAWING MASTER—Mr. E. Vincent.
PROFESSOR OF SINGING—Mr. Digby Palmer.
Course of Instruction:
The Greek and Latin Classics,
Mathematics—Arithmetic, Geometry, Algebra, Trigonometry.
The English course comprises Geography, History, Book-keeping, Astronomy, Natural Philosophy, &c.
Modern Languages—French and Spanish.
Drawing and Singing.
The Collegiate School is conducted on the principles of the old established English Grammar Schools, a Religious Education being the recognized basis of all instruction.
TERMS.
Under 12 years of age.....$5 per month
Under 16 years of age.....$6 per month
Over 16 years of age.....$8 per month
No Extras. Fees payable in advance.
Terms for boarders, or any other particulars, may be known on application to the Rev. the Principal.
m 17 6m

Boarding School for Boys
VICTORIA, V. I.
THE REV. CHARLES T. WOODS, M. A., Principal of the Collegiate School, receives Boarders at his residence, Vancouver street, where in addition to being assisted in their studies, they will receive in other respects every care and attention.
TERMS
Under sixteen years of age.....$30 per month
Above sixteen years of age..... 40 Exclusive
je18 3m of School Fees

W. NEWBERY,
Saddle, Collar,
AND HARNESS MAKER.
RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE Citizens of Victoria and the public generally that he has commenced the above Business on
GOVERNMENT STREET,
OPPOSITE THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL
And hopes by paying strict attention to business and by charging moderately to obtain a share of public patronage.
A GOOD STOCK OF
English, Mexican and Other Saddles,
Also, a General Assortment of
HARNESS, RIDING BRIDLES, WHIPS
AND SPURS ON HAND.
Wm. Newbery having been in business for the last five years in England, and being acquainted with some of the best Manufacturers, is enabled to import every article in his line and supply the same to his customers at a
LOWER RATE
THAN CAN BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.
☞ Orders from British Columbia punctually attended to.
REPAIRING
NEATLY DONE ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.
au30 1m

Dentistry. Dentistry.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS IMPORTED the finest Mineral Teeth and Dental materials that are to be found on the Pacific Coast and is ready to furnish sets or single teeth in the best style Dentistry in all its branches will be attended to by
DR. ZELNER.
Office in the Drug Store, cor. Government and Yates street
☞ Dr Zelner has made arrangements during his absence from Victoria with Dr. Nicholes, Late of London, who will be in attendance daily and he guarantees that perfect satisfaction will be given in all cases where his services may be required.
au27

Best Stout Porter!
THE FINEST IN THE MARKET IS
Barclay & Perkins',
IMPORTED IN BULK and BOTTLED BY
ELLIOTT & STUART,
FAMILIES AND THE TRADE SUPplied with the above in any quantity.
LION BREWERY OFFICE,
Langley street.
August 22d, 1863. au24 tf

LOST.
A DARK RED COW, IN MILK, horns turned in. Was missed from Mr. Sayward's residence between the Catholic Chapel and the Church Reserve, on Monday night last. Any person returning the same to the owner, will receive $10 REWARD.
Victoria V. I., 13th August 1863. au14 tf

T. ALLSOP,
Land and Mining Agent,
GOVERNMENT STREET.
au25 1m

GROCERIES.

Sporborg & Rueff,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Importers and Wholesale Dealers
—IN—
Groceries, Provisions,
Boots and Shoes.
WHARF STREET.....VICTORIA, V. I.
au24 D&W tf

G. VIGNOLO & CO.,
No. 2 Reid's Block, Wharf Street
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
Groceries and Provisions
—ALSO—
Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every Steamer.
au17 tf

GOLDSTONE & BROTHER,
(LATE SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE,)
COMMISSION MERCHANT
Importer and Wholesale Dealer in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS.
Dry Goods, Clothing,
BOOTS AND SHOES, Etc., Etc., Etc.,
au6-1m Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.

THE BRITISH STORE.
W. A. COOPER,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
Provision Merchant,
Dealer in Groceries, &c.,
51, GOVERNMENT STREET
N. B. The true English principle adopted of
ONE PRICE TO ALL.
Miners going to the Diggings
Supplied Wholesale.
au4 tf

FROM
CHINA
—AND—
JAPAN
DIRECT.
NOW LANDING,
IN FINE ORDER,
From the British Bark Heversham,
—AND—
FOR SALE
BY THE UNDERSIGNED,
THE FOLLOWING GOODS:
Rice, China, No. 1 White, in 50 lb. Mats,
Sugar do., in bales of 4 Mats, 25 lbs. each,
Teas, do., Fine and Extra Quality, in Canisters & 1-3 lb. Papers and in cases of 10, 20, 30, and 36 lbs. each.
Teas, Japanese, Fine and Extra Quality, in 5, 8, 10, and 12 lb. Boxes, and 1-3 lb. Papers.
Beef, No. 1, in Barrels,
Pork, do., do.,
Cigars, Havanna-shaped Manilas, in cases,
Cigars, Japanese,
China Nut Oil, in 10-gallon cases,
China Matting, in Rolls,
Cloves, in 25-lb Bags,
Blackpepper, do.,
Glue, best China, in Boxes,
Cassia, real Tayoo,
Firecrackers,
Opium, Fooklong Prepared,
Chinese Preserves, Ginger, Chow Chow, and Kamquat,
Cuttle-Fish, in Boxes,
Rape-Seed Oil, in Tubs,
Japan Soy, do.,
Japan Nuts,
Japan Peas,
Copper Wire, assorted sizes,
Rattan and Bamboo Arm-Chairs, Stools, &c.
G. VIGNOLO & CO.,
au9 WHARF STREET.

G. W. COOL,
DENTIST
Office, on Langley street,
Next to Eberhardt's Hotel,
VICTORIA, V. I. 20-1m

New Bricks!
FOR SALE.
☞ Apply to J. MASON, at the Brick Yard, or G. MASON, at the Identical,
au18 tf WHARF & YATES STREETS

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

CLINTON.
WATSON & CO., OF THE 47 MILE HOUSE, situated at the junction of the Lillooet, Lytton, and Alexandria Wagon Road, beg leave to inform the travelling public that they have erected and are now fitting up near their old stand a large and commodious house to be known as the CLINTON HOTEL.
THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT IS BEING fitted up with a large and commodious bar room, with a splendid billiard Table; also a dining room capable of seating 50 men, private sitting room, with bed rooms attached, for the accommodation of families. Bedrooms fitted up with Fulu Mattrasses. Bunks and mattrasses free of charge for those who wish to use their own blankets. The culinary department is under the supervision of an experienced cook. A large garden is attached, from which the table is supplied with fresh vegetables. The best of Liquors always kept at the bar. Stabling to accommodate 40 horses, with plenty of hay and grain, always on hand.
TERMS.

Board per week	$15 00
do per day	2 50
Single Meal	1 00
Beds per Night	1 00
Stabling and hay per night	1 00
Barley and Oats, per lb	0 25

The Clinton Hotel is a station for the Lillooet and Alexandria Stages, and Barnard's Express. The latest dates of papers, both Foreign and Colonial, always to be seen at the Clinton Hotel.
au31 PROPRIETORS { R. WATSON, G. WATSON, W. L. McKINNON.

ROCK BAY HOUSE!
(BETWEEN THE BRIDGES,)
J. W. CROMER.
RESTAURANT,
Bowling Alley,
WINES, LIQUORS,
—AND—
CIGARS.
MEALS AT ALL HOURS.
au25 tf

GLOBE HOTEL,
LYTTON CITY, B. C.
LOUIS HAUTIER & CO.,
SO WELL KNOWN BY TRAVELERS in British Columbia, beg to inform the public that their House shall in future be called the Globe Hotel. It has been lately entirely refitted and greatly enlarged to meet their increased patronage. The Bedrooms, Billiard Saloon and Baths are well furnished to meet the requirements of persons stopping at the establishment. A Table d'Hote daily. Good Stabling for Horses.
The arrangements are so complete as to enable the Proprietors to make their guests comfortable, and the Hotel the equal of any first class house in British Columbia. au20 tf

JOHN BULL HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET SOUTH.
The above is now carried on by
Mr. Francis Dodd,
Who will always make it his study
TO SUPPLY HIS CUSTOMERS
WITH THE BEST OF
WINES, SPIRITS AND BEER,
That can be Bought in this Market
A "Free and Easy"
As usual, on Wednesday and Saturday Evenings. au14

ST. NICHOLAS
HOTEL!
GOVERNMENT ST.,
VICTORIA, V. I.
N. C. MATTHIESSEN, P. MATTHIESSEN, H. VALENTINER, } PROPRIETORS.
THIS CAPACIOUS AND ELEGANT Hotel is now open for the accommodation of the public. It is fitted up with all the conveniences of a FIRST-CLASS HOUSE, the rooms being well lighted, warmed and ventilated, and tastefully furnished. There is a large
Public Restaurant!
Connected with the Hotel, and a Ladies' Ordinary. It also contains Private Parlors, Suites of Rooms for parties etc.
THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT
Is under the management of a first-class cook, and the Bakery is provided with one of the celebrated HAMBURG OVENS, which turns out Bread unsurpassed by any in the world. Families supplied with Bread at the counter of the Restaurant. au13-1m

Port Seaton House,
LAKE SEATON,
Harrison-Lillooet Route,
BRITISH COLUMBIA.
THIS HOUSE IS SITUATED AT THE foot of Lake Seaton, on the Harrison-Lillooet Route, and is distant three miles and a half from Lillooet, and, having been just completed and fitted up with Single Rooms, New Furniture, &c., offers excellent accommodation for the travelling public.
au9 TAYLOR & CO., Proprietors.

Oriental Hotel,
IN YATES STREET,
Corner of Oriental Alley.
Neatly Fitted up for Travellers
SUITES AND SINGLE ROOMS,
The Bedrooms are furnished with Spring Mattrasses.
THE BEST OF LIQUORS
To be had at the Bar, and
EXCELLENT BILLIARD TABLES!
In the Saloon. Unfurnished room may be had, if required.
au 10 1m P. MANETTA, Proprietor.

OCCIDENTAL
BILLIARD SALOON,
SECOND STORY, BRICK BLOCK,
Cor. of Government and Fort Streets,
VICTORIA.
E. CHILOVICH, Proprietor.
THIS SALOON HAS BEEN FITTED up by the Proprietor for the accommodation of the Public, in a style that is not surpassed in San Francisco. No expense has been spared to render it the finest
BILLIARD SALOON
—IN THIS CITY—
It contains six of Phelan's best Billiard Tables.
At the Bar will be found the choicest Wines and Liquors.
The Saloon is tastefully decorated with costly pictures, is beautifully carpeted and furnished for the accommodation of the Public; and is well ventilated, and lighted with Gas.
☞ PUBLIC ENTRANCE ON GOVERNMENT STREET. au31 tf

NOTICES.

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THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between Simon F. Murray & John Harrison, Blacksmiths, under the name of MURRAY & HARRISON, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 25th day of August, instant
JOHN HARRISON.
Victoria, 31st day of August, 1863. se1 1w*

Dissolution.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing in Victoria between Jeremiah Merrett & Jam s Crossen, under the name of CROSSEN & CO., has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by James Crossen, by whom all liabilities of the late firm will be liquidated and all accounts collected.
se1 1w JH. MERRETT
Dated at Victoria, V. I., the 26th August, 1863

Dissolution.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between Joseph Shettlroe and James A Shaw, in the butchery business, in Victoria, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent
All parties indebted to, and all creditors having claims against the above firm, are requested to call at the butcher's shop on the corner of Fort and Douglas street, for settlement.
JOSEPH SHETTLROE,
JAMES A. SHAW
Victoria, August 27, 1863. au28 1w

Public Notice!
THE COPARTNERSHIP LATELY existing between Thos Kelly and Miles Calhoun Davis, at Richfield, is dissolved by mutual arrangement from 11th August, 1863
All liabilities due to the late partnership are to be paid to and debts contracted by the late partnership are to be liquidated by, the said Miles Calhoun Davis
Middletown, Richfield, August 16th, 1863.
au31 1w

NOTICE.
HENDERSON & BURNABY
WILL FOR THE FUTURE CLOSE their Store on SATURDAY at 2 o'clock, p. m., Steamer days excepted. au18 tf

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.
JOHN KRIEMLER HAS THIS DAY been admitted a partner of Joseph Spratt in the business of Machinists and Iron Founders. The business in future will be carried on under the style of SPRATT & KRIEMLER.
10th August, 1863 au12 tf

NOTICE.
ALL ACCOUNTS DUE BY JOSEPH SPRATT up to date, to be sent in forthwith for settlement
10th August, 1863. au12 tf

NOTICE!
THE UNDERSIGNED, LAY YING LUNG, otherwise Lay Wing, has this day sold and absolutely disposed of all his interest in whatever nature or kind soever unto Chack Fan, of, in, and to the copartnership effects of the firm of Kwong, Lee & Co., at Victoria, V. I., Yale, and Lillooet, in British Columbia, and has ceased to be a partner of said firm. All debts due to said firm are to be paid to the said firm of Kwong, Lee & Co., and all debts due by said firm will be liquidated by them
Dated this 6th day of August, A. D., 1863.
LAY WING.
Witness—FRED. J. FORTYZ.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THIS DAY purchased all the right title and interest of Lay Ying Lung, otherwise Lay Wing, of in, and to the copartnership effects of Kwong, Lee & Co., at Victoria, Vancouver Island, and Yale and Lillooet, British Columbia, and that the said Lay Ying Lung, otherwise Lay Wing, has ceased to be a partner of said firm.
Dated this 6th day of August, 1863.
CHAK FAN.
Witness—FRED. F. FORTYZ au8

A. J. BRUNN
FASHIONABLE
TAILOR,
—HAS JUST RECEIVED—
ROYAL NAVAL UNIFORM GOLD-LACE
BUTTONS, BADGES, CAPS,
MOHAIR AND OAKLEAF BANDS,
Pearl Shirt Studs,
SOLID LEATHER VALISES.
—AND—
PORTMANTEAUS.

SUMMER CLOTHING
PANAMA HATS!!
DRAB & BLACK CASSIMERE HATS!
BOYS' FANCY CLOTH CAPS.
(NEXT DOOR TO BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA)
GOVERNMENT STREET.
y22 tf

FOR SALE,
MAHOGANY PLANK—ST. DOMINGO—from 1½ to 4 inches thick. 1850 feet
VERY DESIRABLE LOT.
MAHOGANY BOARDS—Bay Wood and Domingo—1 inch
BEST CURLED HAIR—2500 LBS.
SHORT DO—2500 do
SPANISH MOSS, 3000 do
FEATHERS—Best live Geese 300 do
DO Ordinary, 750 do
MIRRORS—Gilt, Mahogany and Rosewood—all Sizes, Oval and Square Shapes.
SHOW CASES—On hand, and made to order.
SPRING MATTRASSES—Made to order,
PULU—By the Bale.
—ALSO—
A General Assortment of
Furniture AND Bedding,
Wholesale and Retail,
☞ No charge for delivering goods in the city.
PIERCE & SEYMOUR,
au13 1m BROAD STREET, Victoria, V. I.

OAKLAND ESTATE.
NOTICE TO PURCHASERS.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT if the purchasers of the following Lots on the Oakland Estate do not call at my office, Johnson street, and pay the amount of the second instalment of purchase money, due July 23d, on or before the 23d of this month, together with all interest due thereon, the undersigned will forthwith take action in accordance with the agreements held in connection with the said lots:—
Lots No. 1, 2, 5, 16, 17, 23, 26, 28, 34.
E. C. WADDINGTON,
No 146 Johnson street.
Victoria, V. I., August 12th, 1863.
au13 2w

Searby & Moore's
FLUID EXTRACT OF
SARSAPARILLA
AND
IODIDE OF POTASSIUM,
IS THE BEST PREPARATION OF THE KIND
Government street, Victoria, V. I.
au28 1m

Real Estate Agent.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS OPENED an Office on Courtney street, near Government, where he intends carrying on business as Real Estate Agent.
au4 1m W. J. McDONALD.

WANTS.

Wanted.
CLERKSHIP OR AGENCY WANTED. Address "X," Office British Colonist.
au31 1w*

WANTED
A FEMALE SERVANT AS COOK. Apply at the House door of the Bank of British Columbia.
au27 tf

WANTED
A SITUATION BY A LAW STUDENT with five years experience. Would be willing to engage in any respectable business where steady habits are required
Address LAW STUDENT,
Colonist Office, care of R. Jones.
Douglas street, V. I.
August 22d, 1863. au22 2w*

Wanted.
BY GRENNAN & CRANNY, UTSALADY SAW MILLS, W. T., Mill hands, Loggers, and Laborers for all work around the Mills. The highest rates of wages will be paid
For particulars apply on the premises, Camano Island, W. T. au17 tf

NEW FRUIT and POULTRY MARKET
J. FLETCHER
HAS OPENED A
Fruit and Poultry Market,
On Johnson street, next door above the Tiger Engine House, where he will always supply the Best
OREGON FRUIT, in season;
—ALSO—
FRESH VEGETABLES & CHICKENS, at Moderate Prices.
Private Families and Proprietors of Restaurants are respectfully invited to give him a trial.
au17 1m*

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British Columbia and Victoria
EXPRESS!
CONNECTING AT VICTORIA WITH
WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
For California, Oregon, Atlantic States and Europe,
AND AT YALE AND LILLOOET WITH
BARNARDS' CARIBOO EXPRESS,
For Cariboo and the Northern Mines.
CONVEYING Treasure, Valuables, Letters, Packages, and Parcels;
PURCHASING of Drafts and Bills of Exchange from Wells, Fargo & Co., and other Banking Houses;
COLLECTING Drafts, Notes of Hand, Debts, &c;
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ATTENDING to the Registration of Mortgages, Deeds, and other Documents, the Assaying of Gold Dust, Silver, and other Ores;
PARTICULAR attention given to the purchasing of Goods at New Westminster, B. C., and Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable terms, and shipping to destination;
LANDING WARRANTS Prepared, and Goods passed through the Custom House without delay.
New Westminster, March 13, 1863. au24

GENTILE & CO.,
—HAVE JUST RECEIVED—
LATEST STYLES
Trimmed Straw BONNETS and
HATS!
Bridal Bonnets,
Head Dresses of Latest Paris Fashions,
Dress Caps, Evening Dresses,
Choice lot of Mantles, at very low prices,
Ladies' Underclothing,
Jupons—Garibaldi Jackets,
Cambric Handkerchiefs, Lace Falls,
ETC., ETC., ETC.
GENTILE & CO.
(Underneath the Occidental Billiard Saloon)
Cor. of Fort and Government Street.
Choice Lots of real Laces, Flowers, Feathers, Silks, Grenadines, &c., to arrive per next Express. au5 1m

Exchange
NEWS ROOM
The undersigned having purchased from Mr. Heisterman the Goodwill of the above named institution, asks from the Subscribers and the inhabitants of Victoria and its vicinity, their liberal patronage and support, and begs to assure them that his utmost endeavors will be used to make the room as attractive as possible.
He depends greatly upon the kind assistance of his friends and patrons to consummate that object.
By increasing and

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Thursday Morning, September 3, 1863.

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

JOB PRINTING.

☞ Book and Job Printing of every description neatly executed. Terms, cash on delivery of the work.

WINTER TRAFFIC WITH THE MINES!

It is to be hoped that the farmers and settlers in British Columbia are in the literal as well as the metaphorical not inclined to let the summer pass without "making hay while the sun shines." Some of them indeed we know are not so altogether unmindful of their best interests as to neglect the golden opportunity which circumstances have afforded them in the neighboring colony. They have not been idle; the soil has been made to yield to them its fruits after having so long lain in its primeval fallow. Nor have the farming operations been commenced any too early. If matters are properly managed this fall and winter the aid of the farmer will be of the utmost service in contributing to the progress of the mines and through them of the country in general. It is time now however to work for that object. The winter season even at the time we write has no doubt given the miners of Cariboo a few preliminary wartings of its approach. In another month all those who do not intend to winter in the mountains will turn their faces and steps southward. The snow storms will whiten the ground. The hardy mule train will have to return to its winter quarters in the grassey valleys of the Thompson and Similkameen. The way side house will miss the faces of the miners wending their way up and down. Shall we proceed farther in the picture of isolation that winter has in previous years made the upper country of British Columbia? Is this year to be as the past? Are we to be months without hearing from the men who delve in the hills and valleys, down the deep shafts and through the gloomy and stifling tunnels of the Cariboo mines? And are they also to be similarly from all communication with the outer world and have no tale or tiding from friends or home? Must all trade be dormant during the long winter months? Shall the energetic population of these colonies submit to the rude force of nature, or shall they as they have elsewhere in Canada, in Norway, in Russia, and other northern countries, take the proper steps to overcome it. If the latter course be resolved upon and we can see no reason why it should not, there is no time to spare in making the necessary preparations. Through the well advised measures that have already been taken, the country can now boast of a very fair system of roads and trails leading into the heart of the mines. This line of communication would be quite as easily traversed, throughout the entire winter, by means of sleighs, as most of the roads in the back settlements of Canada and the Eastern provinces. The winter season is, in those districts, the great season for the transportation of freight. The most of the grain and other produce is then brought down to the places of shipment, in many cases from distances which it would scarcely pay to traverse in summer. The coldest weather quite as cold, in fact, as it is in British Columbia, is found to be no obstacle. The way side inns provide food and shelter for man and beast, when they put up for the night or stop during the day, and that is nearly all that is required. Now, there is no reason why the same thing cannot be done in British Columbia. Let it only be understood time enough that sleighs will be placed on the road between the lower towns and the mines to run all winter, and we have no doubt the owners of the different stopping places will take some measures to meet the new state of things. They will require to build good warm stables, and provide a plentiful supply of fodder both of grain and grasses. That done the chief difficulty is overcome. Without it sleighing cannot well be done. The great losses of animals among the pack trains going into the mines late last fall and early this spring, was, we may say, entirely owing to the absence of the above requisites. It is of the highest importance that winter traffic be maintained with the mines. Something must be done to get rid of the spasmodic character which has hitherto attached to our up-country trade. The experience of last winter has proved that in many respects the cold weather is the best time of the year to work the difficult claims. The experience of other countries has proved that the cold season is the best for transporting freight, so there is not the slightest reason for having any cessation of the British Columbian trade during the winter. The very fact too of business being carried on all the year round will have a tendency to render every thing in the other colony of a much more permanent character. More people will remain in the mines. The way-side towns will be more apt to grow. Settlements will thus be encouraged around centres of population. Fewer of our people will feel disposed to go down to California to winter and conclude not to come back. By the establishment of winter traffic, and the increase of mining during the cold season, Victoria may miss the periodical influx of men from the upper country, but she will reap a far greater profit in the increased demand for her supplies, which will result from a more general and continuous prosperity of the whole country.

EXCURSION

TO THE

BRITISH GARRISON,

SAN JUAN ISLAND!

ON THE

Steamer Caledonia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Steamer Caledonia will leave Victoria for the British Garrison, San Juan Island, on SUNDAY NEXT, the 6th instant, starting from the Hudson Bay Company's Wharf precisely at 10 a. m.

An efficient Band will be in attendance.

TICKETS, $2 50 (the number will be limited to one hundred and fifty), which can be had at the Fashion, the St. Nicholas, the Blue Post, and the John Bull.

As the price of the tickets is only for the Excursion, parties are respectfully requested to provide their own refreshments.

Tea and Coffee can be had at any hour on board, at One Bit per cup. se3 td

CAUTION!

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONED from purchasing those certain TOWN LOTS numbered respectively on the Official Map of the Town of Victoria Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15), as a charge is now registered against them in the Registrar General's Office, Victoria.

LEOPOLD LOWENBERG,
By GEORGE PEARKES, his Attorney.
se3

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BALLARAT HOTEL,

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THIS HOTEL, HAVING BEEN REfurnished and fitted up in Excellent style, is now prepared for the accommodation of guests.

THE ROOMS

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THE BAR

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FOR CARIBOO,

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THE FIXTURES, &c., CONNECTED with the Eagle Hotel, consisting of Beds, Bedding, Billiard Table, Counter, Liquors, Decanters, Glasses, and everything requisite to the business, together with

One Year's Lease of the Premises.

Will be sold low, if applied for immediately to

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Victoria, V. I., Sept. 1st, 1863. se3 td

NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR clearing and ditching Ten Acres of Land near the Park

For particulars apply to

se3 CHAS. W. WALLACE.

Notice!

DELUGE ENGINE CO. NO. 1.

A MEETING OF THE ABOVE COMpany will be held this THURSDAY EVENING at their Engine House at half past 7 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating a Chief and Assistant Engineer for the coming ELECTION of the Victoria Fire Department.

By order J. L. BUCKLEY,
Secretary

September 3d, 1863. se3 1t

St. John's Church.

A SPECIAL MEETING IN VESTRY of the Seatholders will be held at the Church on MONDAY EVENING, at 7:30, to determine upon the proposed repairs and additions to the building.

☞ All Seatholders are particularly requested to attend.

R. J. DUNDAS, M. A.
Rector.

se3 3t

UNDERTAKING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

R. LEWIS,
Corner of Government and Broughton streets,
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A NUMBER OF ORDINARY AND able SEAMEN. Apply on board the bark "Romeo." se2 1w

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NOTICE.

TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED until THURSDAY, the 10th instant, for the several trades required in the erection of a Suburban Residence near the Rock Bay Bridge.

The Drawings and Specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

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SPIRITS.

BRANDY—Martell's Old Pale and Dark, in qr cask.
DO Jules, Robin & Co., Pale, in case and qr cask.
DO Tribat, Fils & Co., " " " qr cask.
DO Hemery, Champagne Cognac, in case.
DO Henri Ulounier, in case.
DO Otard, Pupuy & Co., in case.
RUM—Old Jamaica.
WHISKY—Scotch case, Stewart's, Brackla, Sheeds & Gillons.
DO Scotch cask, Crawford's Royal Highland, Stewart's, Paisley, Stewart's Kirkliston, and the well known "Ardley."

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Glenfield Starch, Wotherspoon's Confectionery, Biscuits, Scotch Oatmeal, Preserved Meats, 1 & 2 lb tins, Preserved Soups, " " tins, Preserved Game, " " tins, Preserved Vegetables, in 1 and 2 lb tins, Cossipore Sugar, Loaf, Chickory, Belmont Candles, Liquorice, Brown Yellow Soap, Marine and Mottled Soap, Malt Vinegar, White Wine Vinegar, Finger Blue, Ollmen's Stores, Jams and Jellies, Cheddar Cheese.

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Long Cloths, Blue Ticking, " Regattas, Counterpanes, Marseilles Quilts, Grey Domestics, Maddai Prints, Croydon Sheetings, Grey Drills, Damask, Grey Sheeting, Blankets and army cloth

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Boots and Shoes, Men's and Woman's, a large variety, Hats and Caps, Printed Cotton Shirts, Baltic " Angola and Saxony " Heavy Serge " White Linen Shirts, Furs, Pilot and Tweed suits, Doe and mixed Melton suits, Corahs for Indians, " " superior quality.

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PORK,

5 Whole bbls Pork, Ex. Clear;
10 Half bbls " " "
100 bbls Occidental Mills Flour.

au26

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The A 1 British Bark,

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296 TONS REGISTER.

Now discharging at our Wharf,

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.
Wharf street.

Victoria, V. I., 29th August 1863. au29

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YATES STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.

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The Latest Style in London and Paris—and there is nothing else worn in San Francisco for a

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March 25. m7 p 1y

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☞ Horse and Cattle Sales on Saturday.

A large paddock kept for the accommodation of stock sent for sale.

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Cash advanced on consignments of Merchandise, Stock, etc. au11

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Hardware

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Gents' Furnishing Goods,

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CUTLERY,

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Thursday Morning, September 3, 1863.

OPENING OF THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Yesterday at one o'clock the members elect of the House of Assembly met at the Supreme Court. The following gentlemen were present. Messrs. Young, De Cosmos, Powell, Ridge, Jackson, Tolmie, Trimble, Foster, Helmcken, Burnaby, Carswell, Duncan, Bailey and Pidwell. Mr, Street, member for Saanich, did not attend. Mr. Dennes, who contested the representation of Salt Spring Island with Mr. Pidwell, was present in the lobby of the House.

At half past one His Honor David Cameron, Esquire, Chief Justice, entered the Chamber and took the chair, briefly remarking that His Excellency the Governor had deputed him in his capacity of Chief Justice to state to both Houses the purposes for which they were called together. The officiating Clerk of the House, Mr. Horne, having then called over the names of the members present, his honor informed the members of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly that they would be required to take the oaths this day [Thursday], and that the House of Assembly must first select from their number a fit and proper person to serve as their Speaker. The name of the gentleman so selected would be presented to His Excellency, and if it met with his approval he would then proceed to the House and open the proceedings. But if necessary the House of Assembly would be then required to elect another Speaker. His Honor then left the chair.

Colonel Foster, immediately rose and said that before the members were sworn in and inaugurated as a House of Assembly, it was expedient to elect a Speaker, and he felt it an honor to propose the name of Dr. Helmcken who had filled the duties of that office during the two previous Parliaments, which had sat in this Island. [Applause.] He believed that gentleman would ably discharge those duties, and felt assured the proposition would meet with general approval and support. [Cheers.]

Mr. Young seconded the nomination, observing that it was necessary the gentleman selected for the office of Speaker should be possessed of talent, tact, patience and firmness combined with a knowledge of Parlimentary practice. These qualifications he considered Dr. Helmcken possessed; he had been Speaker in the two previous Parliaments; he had been proved and was not found wanting, and he did not think they could make a better choice. As the Colony increased so would their legislative duties, and it was desirable to select some one acquainted with Parliamentary duties in order that their time should not be needlessly thrown away.

Dr. Helmcken observed that it would be a very irksome office to fill during the session, and he had his own duties to attend to; he was sorry that the honorable gentleman had put him up, because he meant to put the honorable gentleman himself up, [laughter,] but being an old tactician he had taken time by the forelock and forestalled him. He hoped, however, that some other gentleman would be named in his stead. [Cries of No, no.]

No other nomination having been made, Dr. Helmcken was declared unanimously elected.

The Speaker then took the chair, and was loudly cheered. He said, that he felt proud of the honorable position in which he had been placed, but much more proud to have the confidence of the whole of the members. He concluded by expressing a hope that honorable members would make his duties light by remembering to keep themselves in order, (laughter), and should it happen that any members failed to conduct themselves he would look for the co-operation of the other honorable members in supporting his position, (cheers).

The proceedings here terminated, and the house adjourned to 1 p. m. this day, when the honorable members will meet and take the oaths before His Honor the Chief Justice, and at 2 p. m., His Excellency will proceed to open the House.

Police Court.

(*Before A. F. Pemberton, Esq.*)

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 2d, 1863.

HOSPITAL-ITY.

Henry Bramley, an employé at the Royal Hospital, appeared yesterday to answer a charge preferred against him upon information laid by Mr. Seely, the Master of the Hospital, for assaulting Mrs. Seely, and threatening to use violence towards a domestic in the establishment, by drawing a knife.

Mr. Bishop appeared on behalf of the accused, and objected to the reception of the husband's evidence on behalf of his wife. The magistrate held that the husband could not be a witness in the matter of an assault against his wife, but only as to general misconduct in the premises, for the purposes of having the accused bound over to keep the peace; he would therefore take the wife's evidence, but not that of the husband.

The witnesses having been ordered out of court,

Mrs. Seely sworn—Said that Bramley accused her of taking a pair of scissors out of the surgery belonging to him. She heard him having some words with her husband on the balcony, and told the accused he had made a blackguard of himself by acting in the way he had done to the servant, Mahomet. He put his fist up to her face two or three times, and dared her to say it again, and she repeated the remark.

Cross-examined by Mr. Bishop—We were friendly up to that time. My husband told him to cut some wood, and he refused, saying it was the cook's duty; my husband then said he must either cut the wood or leave. He said I had stolen the scissors, not taken them. I told him he had tried to make himself a blackguard by lifting the knife to the other man on the Monday morning. He put his fist to my face, and dared me to say it again; I did say it again; I was not afraid of his fist. [Laughter.]

To the Court—He called the man "bummer" and "loafer about town," and other such words. Mahomet was present when the knife was lifted.

Mahomet was next called, but as the witness could only be sworn upon the Koran (of which no copy was in court) his testimony was dispensed with.

An inmate of the Hospital was then called on behalf of the accused, and stated that he heard a good many high words ensue between Mrs. Seely and the accused; he heard Mrs. Seely say "who do you mean by 'Seely?' Do you think my husband is a low-live blackguard like you? call him Mr. Seely, if you please." [Laughter.] She said a great deal more. It was a conspiracy between them to get Bramley away. The servant, instead of attending to the patients attends to them, and they knock him about just as they please. They therefore want to get rid of Bramley and retain him.

To the court—I have unfortunately been a pauper inmate of the hospital for six months, and have been subjected to brutal treatment by Seely, at a time too when I was suffering agony.

Mr. Pemberton—Did you ever complain? Witness—I have complained; only a week ago I made a complaint to the committee.

Mr. Pemberton remarked that witness, after being received into a public institution of that sort, should be more guarded in statements calculated to do it injury. He happened to know that he was wrong with respect to the servant, as Seely had conferred with the committee respecting the discharge of the servant Mahomet.

Mr. Sheriff Naylor gave the accused a very good character; he had known him for about twelve months, and always found him a steady, well-conducted and peaceable man.

The magistrate said that he would make every allowance for the good character which the accused bore; but at the same time the persons placed in authority by the committee should be protected. It was, in fact, a case of master and servant. He would therefore order Bramley to enter into his own recognizance in the sum of £10 to keep the peace, or to suffer ten days' imprisonment.

ANOTHER EXCURSION.—Arrangements have been completed for another Excursion to San Juan on Sunday next. The British camp will be visited on this occasion. The fare there and back will be $2 50, and Excursionists will be required to provide their own refreshments. A band will be in attendance. For further particulars see advertisement.

CARIBOO AND BRITISH COLUMBIA

The steamers Caledonia and Enterprise arrived yesterday afternoon from New Westminster, bringing a considerable number of passengers, and treasure by express and in the hands of private parties, estimated at over $60,000.

Among the passengers was Mr. Howard, of Esquimalt, who left Williams Creek on the 21st ult., one day after the last express, but brings no additional intelligence.

We learn that the two murderers of poor Clegg had not as yet been apprehended, but the country was being scoured in all possible directions and it was thought that if alive they must eventually be caught.

A man, believed to be one of the malefactors, was discovered near Lillooet, he was making his way up a hill when seen, and on reaching the top, waived his hat, as if in defiance, and then disappeared.

It is thought that his companion must have died from the wounds inflicted by Captain Taylor in their encounter.

FURTHER PARTICULARS OF THE MURDER OF CLEGG.

From a gentleman who arrived on the Enterprise we have the following additional particulars respecting the recent murder of Clegg at the 141 mile-post above Lillooet.

On the night before the murder was committed the two supposed murderers reached Davidson's house, nine miles from the scene of the murder, on foot between 3 and 4 p. m., doing away with the supposition that they had followed Clegg and Taylor from Cariboo and had accompanied them in the same boat. Shortly after their arrival one of them employed the colored cook to cut his hair and whiskers, desiring him to cut them as close as possible with scissors, which was done, giving him the appearance of a man who had gone 10 or 12 days without shaving. They slept there that night, retiring about half past 8 o'clock, and half-an-hour after Taylor and Clegg arrived on horseback. The clerk, Thomas Hudson, got up and let them in. Taylor and Clegg took a drink at the bar, and handed over to Hudson their cantinas containing gold, to be deposited in the safe. They then also retired to rest, conversing a short time in an undertone on the arrangements for the morning, and desired to be called very early. In the morning breakfast was prepared at half-past five, of which the two men partook and started off immediately afterwards. The one who had his hair cut wore a red shirt and had his blankets strapped on in the usual way; the other, the taller of the two, having his blankets [dark ones] rolled up and carried over one shoulder in trooper fashion. Taylor and Clegg breakfasted afterwards and started about an hour after the two men. The next thing heard of them was at Murphy's, where one of them called and spoke of engaging as a cook. He said he would consult his partner, who was on the road, but did not return. A few minutes after this Taylor and Clegg passed and were attacked about three-quarters of a mile from the house. It is supposed that Clegg was not shot on his horse but received a ball through the back of his head while struggling on the ground with his assailant. Taylor's horse having become unmanageable broke away and bolted back to Murphy's house. Taylor was therefore not an eye-witness of Clegg's death, though he returned to the spot with Murphy within a few minutes finding poor Clegg quite dead on the ground with the roll of dark blankets lying near. The men were tracked into the woods and a knife and pistol stained with blood were found; the search was continued but the wood becoming so dense the tracks were lost. Information was immediately conveyed to Commissioner Cox at Mud Lake and steps were taken to intercept the murderers at the various probable points of escape.

Mr. Dodge as well as our informant had kept watch several nights on the trail but to no purpose. The men however had been tracked making towards the Thompson river by the Buonaparte valley, but their capture is very probable, Mr. McLean, with a large number of Indians, being on the watch.

There was a vague rumor that they had been seen, and fired at, near McLean's, but it seems certain that they had previously entered a packer's camp and demanded muck-a-muck from the Indian cook.

The perpetrators of the vile deed obtained no gold or valuables, as Clegg's watch and money were still in his pocket. The pistol found, belonged to one of the murderers, who had evidently exchanged it for Clegg's which was at the time in the deceased's cantinas.

FROM THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

The steamer Reliance came down from Yale on Monday evening, bringing a number of passengers and Dietz and Nelson's Express, containing $12,000 in treasure. No later news from the mines.

Admiral Kingcome, R. N., goes up to Yale by the steamer Reliance to-day. His return may be looked for on Friday, when he will be waited on by the City Council with an address. We are gratified to know that the Admiral is highly pleased both with Burrard Inlet and the city of New Westminster.

Up to the time of going to press the steamer Hope had not returned from Yale, so that we are without farther advices from Cariboo. A rumor came down *via* Douglas to the effect that one of the murderers of Clegg was captured, but it lacks confirmation.

UPROARIOUS.—John Collins was brought before Mr. Pemberton yesterday, charged by officer Curry, with being drunk and disorderly, and assaulting him in the execution of his duty. Curry stated, that a clootchman informed him that a man was in her cabin drunk, and very violent. He accordingly went there and called the man out, as soon as the prisoner came outside he seized hold of witness by the throat and threw him down, tearing his coat and trousers; the officer, however, obtained the mastery, and held prisoner down until assistance arrived. Prisoner had nothing to say to the charge, he had come to town and got on the spree, and was not aware of what he had done. Mr. Pemberton enquired if the prisoner was known to the police, and on being answered in the negative, said he would impose a light penalty, as the prisoner appeared to have borne a previous good character, he would fine him $15, and in default one month's imprisonment. For such an offence it might have been double.

FROM THE NORTH.—The Hudson Bay Company's steamer Otter, Capt. Swanson, arrived yesterday evening from a trading voyage round the Island. She brings a quantity of fish oil, furs, and skins for the Company. The natives were peaceable wherever they were visited. The Labouchere was seen in the vicinity of Fort Rupert. The Otter returned by the outer passage, and when seen rounding Race Rocks gave rise to a report that the mail steamer was in sight.

FROM COMAX AND NANAIMO.—The schooner Meg Merrilles arrived on Tuesday night at Esquimalt from Comax, calling at Nanaimo. We present elsewhere a letter from a correspondent at the former settlement.

FROM LONG ISLAND.—The schooner Royal Charlie arrived yesterday with a cargo of stone from the quarries on the above Island.

FROM THE SOUND.—The schooner Winged Racer arrived yesterday with a cargo of beef, mutton, and produce, from New Dungeness.

☞ The sloop Louise sailed yesterday with passengers and freight for Cowichan.

☞ The mail steamer had not arrived up to the hour of going to press.

☞ The Alpha left Esquimalt yesterday for Nanaimo.

☞ A marriage is about to take place between the Comte de Caraman-Chimay with Mdlle. de Villars, a very great heiress—her fortune, it is said, amounting to ten or twelve millions. The Count is the second son of the Prince de Chimay, a Spanish Grandee, and formerly a Belgian representative.

☞ General Forey is to be made Marshal of France, and General Bazaine, the second in command, is to be rewarded with a seat in the Senate.

The Comax District.

COMAX, August 24th, 1863.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST,—SIR:—So many questions have been asked respecting the adaptability of the Comax District, that a brief description of it may not perhaps be uninteresting to some of the readers of your widely circulated journal.

The Comax District commences about thirty miles above Nanaimo, and thence extends a considerable distance north and west.

The harbor of the same name is situated about thirty miles further up, or about sixty miles northwest from Nanaimo, and averages three miles in length by one and a half in breadth.

Owing to a large spit which runs about two thirds across the mouth of the harbor vessels of the biggest size may at any time find safe anchorage within it, while both from the open Gulf and from Valdez Inlet the entrance is easy. Into the head of the harbor flows the Puntlage or Courtney river, which, about two miles from its mouth divides into two branches, receiving in their course innumerable small creeks which water the surrounding country.

The land on either side of this river is divided into fine rolling prairies of from fifty to five hundred acres each by bits of heavy timber. The soil is a rich dark loam, varying in depth from one to two feet, with a clay or gravelly subsoil; and, where still uncultivated, is now covered with fern and grass four or five feet high. The crops, the first raised in Comax, have, where the least care has been taken of them, turned out remarkably well, and will compare favorably with any raised on the Island.

It is, I believe, in contemplation to send a few samples to the agricultural exhibition in Victoria next month, not with the intention of competing for premiums, but merely to afford those who take an interest in the development of the agricultural resources of the colony an opportunity of judging what quality of produce they may hereafter expect from this district.

The present population of the settlement is thirty-eight. The number of claims registered by actual settlers is thirty-two.

Very little reliable information has yet been obtained concerning the extent of good farming land in this vicinity, but, if Indian report may be credited, it amounts to many thousand acres.

One or two exploring parties will most probably start for the mountains some time next month, their primary object being to prospect for gold and other minerals, of the existence of which in paying quantities there is every indication. They will at the same time note the several features of the country through which they pass.

To the admirer of the beauties of nature the winding river, with its shady coves and miniature rapids, the forest glade and open landscape, present themselves in almost endless variety. The view from the north side of the harbor is also very fine. Before you stretches a wide expanse of glistening water, fringed by a belt of dark green pine, which is thrown into bold relief against the abrupt and rugged sides of a range of snow-capped mountains some sixteen miles distant. A little to the left may be seen the entrance to the harbor and the northwest end of Songotu's Island, while still further to the left a glimpse may be caught of the Gulf of Georgia and the blue snow-tipped mountains of British Columbia.

Hoping at no very distant day to be able to give you more extended information concerning this favored spot.

I am, etc.,

BETA.

Farming in Vancouver Island.

VICTORIA, August 28th, 1863.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST,—Sir: The culture of spring sown crops being attended with considerable risk, disappointment and loss to the farmer and gardener, owing to the great drought of our summers and autumns, it becomes a very important consideration, especially as under the most favorable circumstances the cultivation of the soil in this colony is not very remunerative; to enquire by what means within the reach of the cultivator his returns may be rendered more certain, his losses lessened, and at the same time his profits increased.

As a step towards so desirable an issue, I beg to suggest a more extended system of autumn tillage, where ever the situation will admit of it being carried out—of such crops as under ordinary circumstances will withstand the winter cold of this island, and arrive at maturity before the droughts of summer are felt; and if any of your readers can, from their past experience, add any information bearing on the subject, it would assist in laying a better and more extended system of autumn cultivation, than at present prevails in this colony.

In order to render my suggestion as useful as possible, I beg to name a few plants, which practice and observation lead me think will succeed in this climate—but as success will depend materially on the preparation of the soil and the time chosen for sowing the seed, I may add, loose no time in getting the former into proper tilth, for as no specific time for the operation of sowing can be laid down, and as it must entirely depend on the state of the weather and the soil—the cultivator can then avail himself of the first opportunity for doing it.

First then in importance is wheat about which I will only say, sow early in October if possible, in order that the young plant may gain strength to withstand the severity of winter. Oats too may be sown on soils that dry too early for spring cropping.

Next in importance to the cereals come the fodder plants which, so far as my own observations have extended, have by far too limited a cultivation with us. They are deserving a greatly extended cultivation, which sooner or later must be given them, if rearing and breeding of stock is attended to, as it deserves. First come the clovers, Red, White or Dutch, and Alsike; these plants seem to have been lost sight of, or nearly so in this colony; they deserve extended cultivation, and no permanent pastures should be laid down without them—the latter one especially (*Trifolium hybridum*) for its quality alone is deserving of every attention, and is a valuable addition to our cultivated field plants, it is the best of perennial clovers, and will grow on soils where the red clover fails—it is intermediate between the red and white, and produces a heavy crop of forage.

2nd. *Trifolium incarnatum* (Crimson Clover) is a very valuable annual green crop for cattle, early in spring, and if cut when in flower makes a superior hay to common clover. Is eaten with avidity by all kinds of animals and is very nutritious. I have cultivated this plant in England, and consider it the most valuable of all spring-forage plants. It should be sown as early as possible in autumn on ground that has become firm. A good clean wheat arrish having the surface scuffled over and cleared of weeds and rubbish, will suit it admirably.

3d. *Medicago sativa* (Lucerne) the most useful of perennial fodder plants for this country; roots penetrate to a great depth in the soil; comes in use early in spring—a fortnight before the clovers or rye-grass. The soils which appear most congenial to it are those of a very light sandy or dry nature, with a calcareous subsoil. Proper attention should be paid to the thinning of the young plants and in keeping them clear of perennial weeds. They will yield a considerable crop the second year, and will produce good crops for eight years or more, if proper attention is paid to keeping them clean. One of the most valuable plants for this Colony.

4th. *Lotus corniculatus* (or common birdsfoot trefoil)—a prostrate, deep rooting perennial plant; grows on dry elevated pastures, sandy and healthy places; is highly nutritious, quite equal to any of the clovers, and eaten with avidity by cattle. From the great depth to which its roots penetrate, it is not liable to be injured by drought, and is thereby enabled to retain its green verdure after the grasses and other plants are burnt up.

5th. (Common saintfoin) *onobrychis sativoris*, is another deep-rooting plant, and very valuable on dry soils; will last in perfection for many years, and ought to form a part of permanent pastures.

6th. *Vicia sativa* (common tare or vetch.) This plant is too well known to need any lengthened discription from me. The practice of sowing either oats or barley among tares, is strongly recommended, not only as it insures a greater bulk of produce, but the stems of the grain serve as supports to the trailing vetch. Sow in November.

7th, and last, but not least, are the natural grasses. Timothy is already extensively sown, but I would strongly recommend some others; for permanent pastures, such as *festuca duriuscula* (hard fescue grass) resist droughts of summer, and constitute a large portion of the best natural pastures in England. *Festuca ovina* (sheeps fescue)—this grass forms the greater part of the sheep pastures of the highlands of Scotland. For alternate husbandry, in good soil, *lolium Italicum* (Italian rye) and *lolium perenne* (common rye-grass) should be sown. The first produces an early and bulky crop; the second will grow in soils unsuited to the first and produces a heavy crop.

The foregoing are some of the principal forage plants which the farmer will find extremely useful. I will endeavor to give a list of crops for autumn tillage for the gardener in a separate letter, and can only now find room to say, prepare your soil at once.

AGRI-HORTICOLO.

Insurance on Coal Oil Warehouses.

A meeting of the agents of the different Fire Insurance offices of this city was held to-day, at the office of the Liverpool and London Company. All the offices, with the exception of the "Provincial" and "London" ones, were represented. Mr. H. Routh, of the "Royal" was voted into the chair, and Mr. Smith, of the "Liverpool and London," was appointed Secretary. It was resolved to appoint a committee to draw up a petition for presentation to the Mayor and Council, praying for the passing of the following by-law, with several amendments, which would be pointed out by the committee, the chief among which were: To prohibit crude oil being stored *at all* in the city, and of refined not over three barrels, whilst of naphtha, benzone, and such volatile substances, only one barrel can be kept in warehouse. Some other minor amendments are made, which will appear when the by-law is brought before the Council:

BY-LAW

To regulate the manufacture and storage of Petroleum, Earth or Rock Oil, Benzole, Benzine, Naphtha, Kerosene, Camphene, and Burning Fluid.

No person shall have, keep, sell or manufacture in any place or building within the limits of the city of Montreal, any crude or refined petroleum, earth or rock oil, benzole, benzine, naphtha, kerosene or burning fluid, in larger quantity than three barrels, unless it be kept in close iron tanks, or in detached and properly ventilated stores or warehouses, specially adapted for that purpose, by having sills or other contrivances so as effectually to prevent the overflow of such substances beyond the premises where the same are kept or stored.

Section 2.—No person shall manufacture or store any of the articles mentioned in the foregoing section, in any building or yard, situate less than one hundred feet from said building by a brick or stone wall not less than ten feet in height.

Section 3.—Every person desiring to manufacture, keep, or store any of the articles mentioned in section one, in any quantity exceeding three barrels as hereinbefore specified, shall make written application therefore to the Fire Inspector, stating in said application the place or building in which he desires to manufacture, sell or store said articles, and the manner in which he proposes to keep them; and it shall be the duty of said Fire Inspector to examine the premises and report to the Fire Committee whether in his opinion said premises are made comformable to the provisions of this by law, and upon his report the said Fire Committee shall lake action and grant or refuse license as to them may seem meet.

Section 5.—All licenses granted under the provisions of the previous section, shall continue and be in force from the time of granting the same until the first day of February next ensuing.

Section 5.—Every person at the time of receiving said license, shall pay therefore the sum of one dollar.

Section 6.—It shall be the duty of the Fire Inspector and Chief of Fire Department, in addition to the duties now imposed upon them by law, to make an examination of all premises where either of said articles mentioned in section 1 are manufactured, kept or stored, so as to insure a strict compliance with all the provisions of this by-law, and they shall report all violations thereof to the Fire Committee.]

Section 7.—Any person who shall offend against either of the provisions of this by-law, shall forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding twenty dollars, or be liable to an imprisonment not exceeding thirty days for each and every offence,

This subject is of the highest importance, and no time should be lost in taking action; the hot weather has now fairly set in, and, with the large quantity stored in different parts of the city, we are in continual danger. We trust that our city fathers will not wait before doing anything, till we have some great calamity. This is, we are sorry to say, too often the case with public bodies.—*Montreal Herald.*

THE ADMIRAL'S VISIT TO NANAIMO.—Last Wednesday evening the flag-ship Sutlej steamed into Nanaimo harbor and anchored within a stone's throw of the town, to the great delight of the inhabitants. When the Admiral told the Nanaimo people a few weeks ago that he would take his ship into their harbor they scarcely thought he really meant it. But although many in Victoria told the Admiral of the great difficulties of taking his ship to Nanaimo, he trusted to Capt. Richards' chart and his own judgment, and has found none of the difficulties he was warned against. He has found abundance of water everywhere, and none of the tremendous currents and counter currents, and other gulf monsters of which we have heard so much, although she sailed nearly the whole of the way without steam. The Sutlej is 3,080 tons, and draws about 23 feet. It is now demonstrated that the water in Nanaimo harbor is amply sufficient for any ship that will ever ply on this coast. We are also informed that it has the best natural advantages for the construction of a dry dock of any place in either colony. If the Coal company carry out their design and get a steamer from England to run between Victoria and New Westminster, *via* Nanaimo, and ship all their supplies direct to their port, saving the great expense of transhipment at Victoria, they may then sell goods to British Columbia cheaper than they can be got in Victoria, and a brisk trade would at once spring up between this city and Nanaimo. The company would then increase their trade, build up their town, realize an immense sum from the sale of town lots, and do great good to both colonies. Governor Douglas will try to prevent this by refusing them a port of entry, but this obstruction will soon be removed, and Nanaimo will get her rights.—*Columbian.*

[We have no objection whatever to Nanaimo getting her rights and becoming a port of entry, in fact, we have ourselves advocated it. That port lies conveniently near for the trade with Cariboo, over the Bute trail!—ED. COL.]

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For the best bushel of Potatoes produced - 2 00

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For the best 6 Cabbage heads - - 2 00

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do do 6 lbs Tomatoes - - - 1 00

do do 6 Varieties Cabbage (2 heads each) - - - - - 1 00

do do 6 Beets - - - - 1 00

do do 6 Parsnips - - - - 1 00

do do 6 heads of Celery - - - 1 00

do do 6 roots Salsify or Oyster Plant 1 00

do do 2 heads Cauliflower - - 1 00

do do 2 Sweet Melons - - - 1 00

do do 2 Water Melons - - - 1 00

do do 2 Squashes - - - - 1 00

do do 4 Varieties of Carrots, 6 in a bunch - - - - - 1 00

do do best peck of Onions - - 1 00

do do best bushel of Ashleaf Kidney Potatoes - - - - 1 00

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SECTION 13—POULTRY.

For the best pair of Turkeys - - $2 00

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do do Ducks - - - 1 00

do do Fowls - - - 1 00

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SECTION 14.

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San Francisco, California.

Portland, Oregon.

GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highest rates.

ADVANCES MADE on gold dust left for assay at Government Assay Office, New Westminster; or if sent for assay or coinage to United States Mint, San Francisco

Collections made on reasonable terms, and a General Banking Business Transacted

Victoria, V. I., Jan 17, 1862 au20-1m

NOTICE.

British Columbia and Victoria Steam Navigation Co.

(LIMITED)

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS COMpany hereby call an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the STOCKHOLDERS, to be holden in the Company's Office on Langley street on MONDAY, the 7th day of September, prox., when matters of importance will be submitted.

By order of the Board,

J. WADDELL, Agent.

Office of the B. C. and V. S N Co } Victoria, 24th August, 1863. } au25 td

THE

Bank of British Columbia

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

Capital, ... $1,250,000.

IN 12,500 SHARES, OF $100 EACH,

WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

GOLD DUST and BARS Purchased,

—OR—

Advances made upon the same.

—ALSO—

Received on Consignment, and disposed of as advised,

FREE OF CHARGE.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS are opened for any amount not less than One Hundred Dollars, and every facility granted to traders and others for the transaction of business.

DEPOSIT RECEIPTS issued for money lodged for fixed periods, bearing the following rates of Interest:

On money lodged for 1 month certain, at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum.

On money lodged for 3 months certain, at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.

On money lodged for 6 months certain, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum.

On money lodged for 12 months certain, at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

No partial payment made on these receipts. Interest payable half yearly, and the principal not due until the expiry of the period for which the money is lodged.

DISCOUNTS AND ADVANCES.—Approved Bills discounted, and advances made upon Bills of Lading, (accompanied by Policies of Insurance,) for goods shipped to or from the Colonies.

DRAFTS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT issued on Great Britain and the Colonies, also on New York and San Francisco, and bills on these places purchased or sent for collection.

CREDITS issued on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped from those ports to the Colonies; all such shipments to be Insured and Hypothecated to the Bank

GOVERNMENT and other SECURITIES received for safe custody, and 1 per cent. Commission charged on withdrawing the same. Interest and Dividends collected on account of constituents at the rate of one half per cent on the amount collected, if payable in Victoria.

GOLD DUST AND BARS purchased, or advances made upon the same.

Office hours, 10 to 3. Saturday's, 10 to 1

JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.

Victoria, September 12, 1862. au18

JOHN J. COCHRANE,

LAND AGENT,

GOVERNMENT STREET, NEXT COLONIST OFFICE

Town Lots and Farming Land, bought, sold and leased au21 1m

MEDICAL.

THE WORLD'S FRIEND!

Holloway's Ointment.

A Cure for Piles and Fistulas.

Inflammation of sensitive parts, piles, fistulas, and such like painful diseases may be presently relieved and ultimately cured, by the proper and diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, whose action should, in such cases, be assisted by judicious doses of Pills; are many days have elapsed the anxious patient will experience a wonderful degree of ease from his treatment. They are equally suitable to both sexes, and all ages.

Coughs, Colds, and Asthma.

These complaints of the chest come on with alarming frequency. The Ointment should assiduously be rubbed at least twice a day on the chest and between the shoulders, when the violence of all symptoms will gradually give way, the breathing become longer, and the oppression less. No medicines are more efficient in chest complaints, none can be used with equal safety and certainty. Both Pills and Ointment are accompanied by very clear and simple directions for using them.

A Man who refused to have his Leg off.

From the Kilrush Advertiser, June 2nd, 1860.

BENJAMIN COX, Esquire, Magistrate, said in the Board Room at Kilrush, that he knew a man who had been in the Infirmary and was actually turned out as incurable, on his way home to Kilrush, he purchased at Ennis, Holloway's Pills and Ointment, for, as he said, it could not be worse with him. This man, said Mr. Cox, became by their use as sound and as healthy as any man in the room. These celebrated Pills and Ointment will cure any wound, sore, or ulcer, however long standing, if properly used according to the printed directions.

Gout and Rheumatism.

The essence of these diseases lie in the blood, which has, floating through each vessel, the pain-giving poison, which irritates and inflames every tissue it comes in contact with, and produces the hot, swollen, elastic enlargement about the joints so characteristic of gouty diseases. The philosophy of cure consists in overcoming this depravity in the blood, which is rapidly purified by the use of the Pills. The Ointment, when rubbed upon the skin, penetrates system through the pores, acts in unison with Pills, and soon effects a cure.

Dropsy, Swollen Legs or Ankles.

The various kinds of dropsies, whether windy or watery, arise from some obstruction to the free circulation though the blood vessels or lymphatics, or depend on the inflamed state of some secreting surface Holloway's remedies, of which the efficacy cannot be exaggerated, act directly upon the blood, the absorbents and secretions, with a power that no dropsy, however inveterate, can long resist. They regulate the proper flow of blood to every organ, and purify it likewise.—they filter out everything that is morbid or injurious,—they thoroughly regenerate every function, yet potent as they are for good, they are powerless for evil. They do not contain mercury or any noxious substances. They act safely and certainly

Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, and Old Ulcers

This invaluable Ointment was never known to fail in the cure of any wound, any sore, or any ulcer,—as can be proved by innumerable testimonials from persons who had been discharged from Hospitals as incurable, and yet by perseverance they have been made as sound as they were the day they were born, by this incomparable Ointment. For pimples, blotches, scald heads, and scorbutic humours, it is equally efficacious.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bad Legs	Chilblains	Fistulas	Sore-throats
Bad Breasts	Chapped Hands	Gout	Skin-diseases
Burns	Corns (Soft)	Glandular	Scurvy
Bunions	Cancers	Swellings	Sore-heads